

MEDIA RELEASE

Barricaded Subject Arrested

SANTA BARBARA, CA – August 15, 2012

On August 15, 2012, at 12:09 a.m., Anthony Allen Perrie, age 28, of Santa Barbara, was arrested for domestic battery, robbery, terrorist threats, and resisting or delaying an officer following a three-hour standoff.

On August 14, 2012, at 9:09 p.m., Sergeant Kenny Kushner observed Perrie standing on a corner at the intersection of Indio Muerto Street and Salinas Street. Earlier in the day Perrie had failed to appear in court for a preliminary hearing and as a result a \$50,000.00 felony warrant for domestic battery had been issued for his arrest. When Sergeant Kushner contacted Perrie in an attempt to arrest him Perrie fled, running into the apartment at 218 S. Salinas Street #6, where he resides with his mother.

When Perrie ran into the residence his mother exited and informed the responding officers that not long before he had committed a strong-arm robbery against her, taking a small amount of cash, and subjected her to death threats.

Perrie barricaded himself in the apartment and refused demands to exit. An additional arrest warrant for Perrie was obtained for robbery, terrorist threats, and resisting or delaying an officer. Additionally, a search warrant was obtained for the premise. At 11:59 p.m., following several verbal commands for Perrie to exit, officers forced entry into the apartment. A light and sound diversionary device, also known as a flash-bang, was deployed outside of Perrie's bedroom window as officers breached the front door of the apartment. Inside they found that Perrie had barricaded himself in his bedroom, tying the door with rope and blocking it with furniture.

The bedroom door was breached with a battering ram and once open, Perrie was given warnings to surrender or else a police canine would be sent into his room. Perrie refused to come out and subsequently SBPD canine Hondo was deployed. The canine, however, was unsuccessful in pulling Perrie from the room. Perrie was then shot twice with less than lethal beanbag rounds fired from a police shotgun. Upon being struck Perrie announced that he was going to surrender. When officers attempted to handcuff Perrie he still physically resisted, although he was ultimately taken into custody.

Perrie as transported to Santa Barbara Cottage Hospital where he was medically cleared for booking. He was then booked into Santa Barbara County Jail on the aforementioned warrants with a bail amount of \$50,000.00.



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